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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, it is requested that the following references, which are also listed on the attached Form PTO-1449, be made of record in the above-identified case.

1. "LANGUAGE-MODEL LOOK-AHEAD FOR LARGE VOCABULARY SPEECH RECOGNITION", by S. Ortmanns, et al., ICSLP, 1996; and
2. "Data Driven Search Organization for Continuous Speech Recognition", by Hermann Ney, IEEE Transactions on Signal Processing, February, 1992.

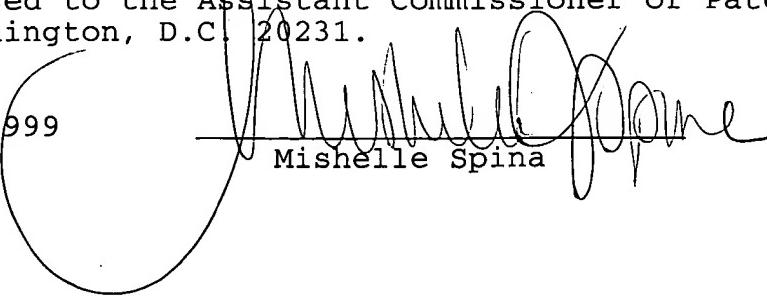
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Applicant is submitting copies of the above-cited references. The relevance of the references has been described in the specification.

Inasmuch as this Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted in accordance with the schedule set out in 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b), no petition, certification or fee is required.

Respectfully submitted,



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